



Delaware County Substance Use Profile  
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**Table 1: Overdose Deaths (2019; per 100,000 people)**

<b>Deaths</b>	<b>Delaware County</b>	<b>County Rank</b>	<b>Statistical Trends</b>	<b>Indiana</b>	<b>Statistic Description</b>
Drug Poisoning (age adjusted)	41.6	7	Increased over time since 2013.	26.6	DelCo has nearly 2x the overdose rate of Indiana as a whole.
Drug Poisoning (crude rates)	37.7	8	Increased over time since 2013.	25.2	DelCo has higher rates than Indiana as a whole.
Drug Poisoning Involving Any Opioid	28.0	7	There was a large jump in rates from 10.5 to 28 from 2018-2019.	18.5	DelCo had roughly the same rate as Indiana prior to 2019.
Drug Poisoning Involving Any Opioid Pain Reliever	27.2	6	There was a large jump in rates from 2018 to 2019.	16.9	DelCo had roughly the same rate as Indiana prior to 2019.
Drug Poisoning Involving Benzodiazepines	11	5	There was a large jump in rates from 2018 to 2019.	3	Insufficient state data.
Drug Poisoning Involving Cocaine	7	7	Since 2011, rates have steadily increased.	2.9	Insufficient state data.
Drug Poisoning Involving Heroin	N/A	N/A	The data for DelCo is below the threshold for reliability.	5	N/A
Drug Poisoning Involving Psychostimulants other than Cocaine	17.5	3	There was a large jump in rates from 2018 to 2019. Trends have also been rising since 2015.	5.5	Insufficient state data.
Drug Poisoning Involving Synthetic Opioids	25.4	4	There was a large jump in rates from 2018 to 2019. Trends have also been rising since 2015.	9.7	Insufficient state data.

**Table 2: E.R. Visits & Non-Fatal Overdoses (2019; per 100,000 people)**

<b>E.R. Visits</b>	<b>Delaware County</b>	<b>County Rank</b>	<b>Statistical Trends</b>	<b>Indiana</b>	<b>Statistic Description</b>
Involving Soft Tissue Infections Associated with Drug Abuse (Ages 15 to 74)	2.4	46	N/A	4.9	N/A
Due to Endocarditis (2011 to 2015)	6.3	53	N/A	12.5	N/A
Due to Endocarditis (2016 to 2019)	0.6	23	DelCo's rates decreased from 2016 to 2019.	0.8	Indiana and DelCo have had steadily decreasing rates from 2016 to 2019
Non-Fatal, due to any Drug Overdose (2016 to 2019)	334.7	8	The rate for DelCo remained steady from 2016 to 2019.	220.4	Indiana has a lower rate than DelCo.
Non-fatal, due to any Opioid Overdose (2011 to 2015)	36.8	33	From 2011 to 2015 there was an increase in rates.	35.9	DelCo and Indiana have similar rates.
Non-fatal, due to any Opioid Overdose (2016 to 2019)	181.4	4	From 2016 to 2019 there has been a significant decrease in the rate for DelCo.	75.2	Indiana's rate has been lower than DelCo 2016 to 2019, however the trend in the rate has been the same for both.
Non-fatal, due to Heroin Overdose (2016 to 2019)	92.0	4	From 2016 to 2019 there has been a significant decrease in the rate for DelCo.	45	Indiana's rate has been lower than DelCo since 2016.

**Table 3: Drug-Related Diseases (2019; per 100,000 people)**

<b>Diseases</b>	<b>Delaware County</b>	<b>County Rank</b>	<b>Statistical Trends</b>	<b>Indiana</b>	<b>Statistic Description</b>
HIV/AIDS Prevalence	131.6	18	DelCo's rate has stayed fairly consistent.	189.9	DelCo's rates have been lower than Indiana consistently from 2010 to 2018.
Hepatitis B, Acute	6.1	5	N/A	2.5	In 2019 DelCo's rate was almost twice that of Indiana.
Hepatitis B, Chronic	22.8	10	From 2017 to 2019 the rate for DelCo has been fairly consistent.	12.8	From 2017 to 2019, DelCo has had a higher rate than Indiana.
Hepatitis C, Acute	21.9	3	From 2018 to 2019, there was a large increase in rate from 8.7 to 21.9.	5.7	Indiana's rate from 2009 to 2019 has steadily increased. DelCo's rate has been higher than Indiana over the same time period.
Hepatitis C, Chronic	162.2	18	From 2009 to 2019 DelCo's rate has remained fairly consistent, with a very slight peak in 2017.	90	From 2012 to 2019 DelCo's rate has had a higher rate than Indiana.
Newly Diagnosed HIV/AIDS	7.1	9	Insufficient data.	8.2	Indiana and DelCo have had very similar rates from 2010 to 2018.

**Table 4: Inpatient Hospitalizations (2019; per 100,000 people)**

<b>Inpatient Hospitalizations</b>	<b>Delaware County</b>	<b>County Rank</b>	<b>Statistical Trends</b>	<b>Indiana</b>	<b>Statistic Description</b>
Non-fatal, Any Drug Overdose	120.0	13	The rate for DelCO remained fairly steady from 2016 to 2019.	91.7	Indiana and DelCo's rates have had similar trends.
Non-fatal, Any Opioid Overdose (2011 to 2015)	46.2	3	N/A	21.6	N/A
Non-fatal, Any Opioid Overdose (2016 to 2019)	181.4	6	DelCo's rate fluctuated from 2016 to 2019 with an overall decrease from 2016 to 2019.	75.2	DelCo has had a higher rate than Indiana since 2016.
Non-fatal, Any Heroin Overdose (2011 to 2015)	13.3	3	Since 2012 DelCo's has been increasing.	5.3	Indiana has had a steady increase in rate, but Indiana's rate was significantly lower than DelCo's from 2011 to 2015.
Non-fatal, Any Heroin Overdose (2016 to 2019)	14.0	3	Insufficient Data	5.9	Insufficient Data

**Table 5: Opioid Prescriptions**

<b>Prescription Dispensing</b>	<b>Delaware County per 1,000</b>	<b>Indiana per 1,000</b>	<b>Statistic Description</b>
Opioid Prescriptions	260.0	200.4	DelCo's rate has been steadily decreasing from 2017 to 2019 but has consistently been higher than Indiana's rate.

**Table 6: Five Year Analysis of Alcohol and/or Drug Impaired Driving in Delaware County, Indiana**

<b>Year</b>	<b>Arrests</b>	<b>License Suspension</b>	<b>E-Citations</b>	<b>Blood Tests</b>	<b>Breath Tests</b>
<b>2016</b>	664	162	152	597	253
<b>2017</b>	583	175	223	618	222
<b>2018</b>	579	134	386	512	192
<b>2019</b>	530	144	448	477	152
<b>2020</b>	368	102	295	480	70

**Table 7: Drug Class of Positive Blood Tests, Delaware County**

	<b>2016</b>	<b>2017</b>	<b>2018</b>	<b>2019</b>	<b>2020</b>
<b>Barbiturates</b>	1		1		1
<b>Benzodiazepines</b>	7	66	51	40	26
<b>Cannabinoids</b>	107	50	73	70	80
<b>Muscle Relaxants</b>	2		2	3	
<b>Narcotics</b>	46	50	53	62	55
<b>Stimulants</b>	26	50	48	43	55
<b>Z-Drugs</b>		3	1		

**Table 8: Age & Gender: Breath Test**

Age Group	Female	Male
15-24	13.16%	27.56%
25-34	6.19%	12.55%
35-44	3.04%	11.25%
45-54	2.25%	11.47%
55-64	1.24%	5.51%
65-84	0.22%	0.56%

**Table 9: Age & Gender: Blood Tests**

Age Group	Female	Male
0-14		0.04%
15-24	5.01%	16.64%
25-34	8.81%	21.23%
35-44	5.72%	13.44%
45-54	4.25%	7.42%
45-55	0.79%	2.26%
55-64	3.35%	7.57%
65-84	0.64%	2.75%
85 or older	0.08%	

**Table 10: Age & Gender: E-Citations**

Age Group	Female	Male
15-24	7.86%	20.97%
25-34	9.12%	21.37%
35-44	5.13%	13.32%
45-54	3.20%	7.46%
55-64	2.60%	7.32%
65-84	0.47%	1.20%



**Table 11: Race/Ethnicity: E-Citations**

White	70.50%
Black	16.39%
Hispanic	1.74%
Asian/Pacific Islander	0.47%
Other	0.07%
Unknown	10.84%

**Table 12: Age & Gender: Arrests**

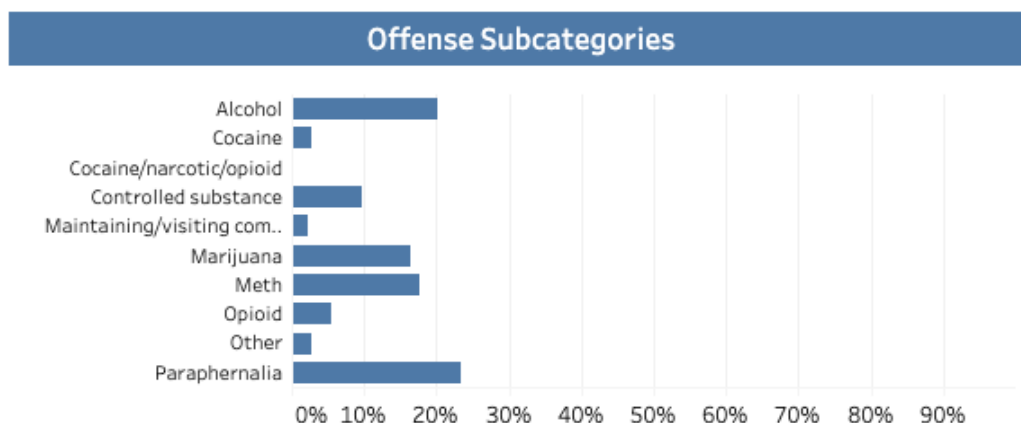
Age Group	Female	Male
15-24	7.14%	19.54%
25-34	9.07%	20.54%
35-44	6.11%	13.18%
45-54	3.74%	10.47%
55-64	2.26%	6.11%
65-74	0.15%	1.44%
75-84		0.19%
84 or older		0.07%

**Table 13: Race/Ethnicity: Arrests**

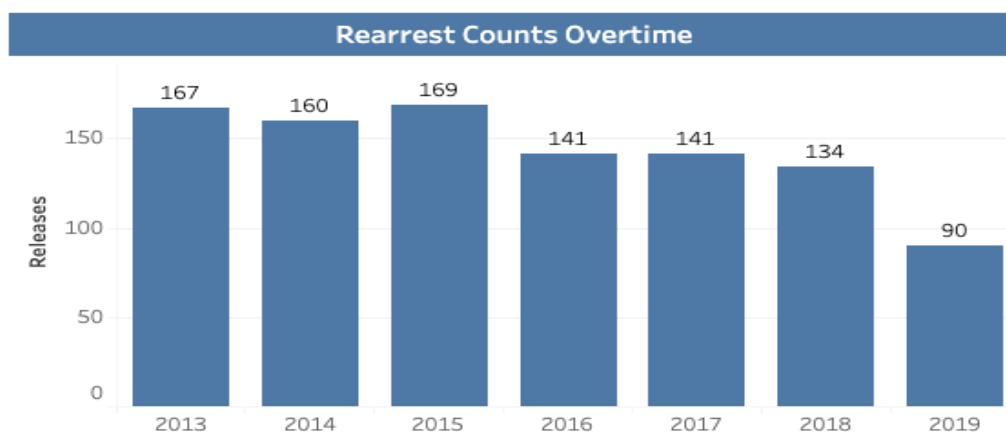
White	81.66%
Black	16.35%
Asian/Pacific Islander	0.44%
American Indian or Native Alaskan	0.04%
Unknown	1.52%

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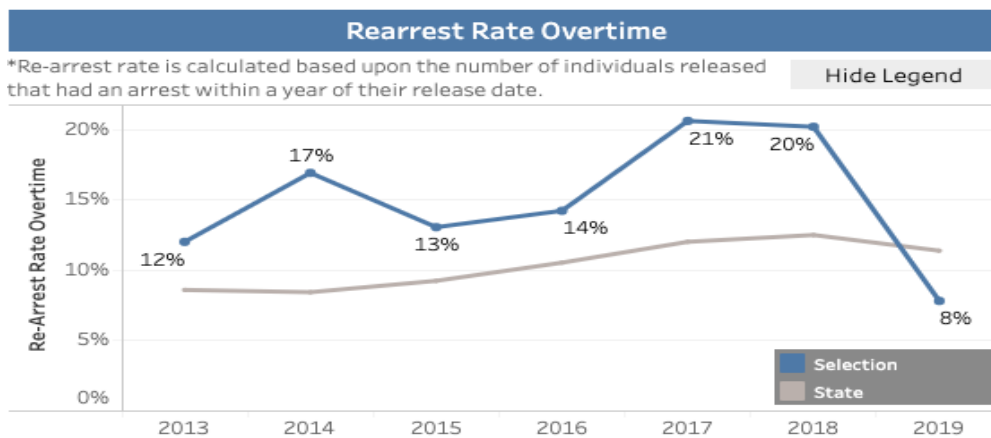
**Figure 1: Arrests with Offenses Related to Substance Use: Delaware County**



**Figure 2: Rearrest Counts Over Time: Delaware County (any charge)**



**Figure 3: Rearrest Rate Over Time: Delaware County (any charge)**



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